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**JUDGE MANNING
MAGISTRATE JUDGE VALDEZ**

Exhibit 2

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS
EASTERN DIVISION

PAUL MOORE,

Plaintiff,

v.

JEFFERIES & CO., INC.,

Defendant.

Civil Action No. _____

DECLARATION OF JAMES R. DALY

Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, James R. Daly, an attorney, declares as follows:

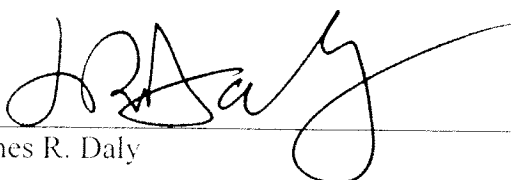
1. I am a partner in the law firm Jones Day. I represent Jefferies & Co., Inc. in this matter. This affidavit is based upon my personal knowledge.

2. I accepted service of the summons and complaint in the instant lawsuit, *Paul Moore v. Jefferies & Co., Inc.*, 07-L-013489 (State of Illinois, Cook County Circuit Court), on December 14, 2007. The summons and complaint were dated December 3, 2007.

3. Jefferies & Co., Inc. is a corporation, incorporated under the laws of the state of Delaware. Its principal place of business is in the state of New York.

I declare, under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of America, that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on December 28, 2007.


James R. Daly